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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION of:

Confirmation Number: 7257

ZUKI ET AL.

Application No.: 10/661,783

Group Art Unit: 1725

Filed: September 15, 2003

Examiner: I. LIN

For:

DIE CASTING MACHINE

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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 2 months extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE										\$	0.00
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE									_	\$	450.00
GRAND TOTAL										\$	450.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2004, the deadline for response to which has been extended to December 28, 2004, by the enclosed Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time and Fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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